

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

STATE OF NEW MEXICO, *ex rel.*
State Engineer

Plaintiff,

vs.

ROMAN ARAGON, *et al.*,

Defendants.

69cv07941-BB-LFG

RIO CHAMA STREAM SYSTEM

Section 7, Rutheron & Plaza Blanca

MOTION FOR APPROVAL OF FORM OF NOTICE
AND ORDERS TO SHOW CAUSE

COMES NOW the plaintiff State of New Mexico, *ex rel.* State Engineer, and pursuant to the January 31, 2012 *Scheduling and Procedural Order for the Determination of Priority Dates and Irrigation Water Requirements in the Rutheron & Plaza Blanca Subsection of Section 7 of the Rio Chama Stream System* (Doc. No. 10683), the States moves the Court to enter its order granting approval of the form of the notice and orders to show cause, and the form objection and response, attached hereto and described below, to be served on defendants with respect to the determination of priority dates and irrigation water requirements in the Rutheron & Plaza Blanca Subsection of Section 7 of the Rio Chama Stream System:

Exhibit A: Notice and Order to Show Cause to be served on individual subfile defendants. The defendants' names, addresses and other defendant-specific information will be added to the individual notice and orders submitted to the Court.

Exhibit B: Notice and Order to Show Cause to be served on the Commissioners of each

community ditch in the Rutheron & Plaza Blanca Subsection that is a party to these proceedings, or other named defendants in this Subsection that are without surface water irrigation rights in the Rutheron & Plaza Blanca Subsection. The names and addresses of these defendants will be added to the individual notice and orders submitted to the Court.

Exhibit C: Notice and Order to Show Cause to be served on the United States of America.

Exhibit D: Notice and Order to Show Cause for publication.

Exhibit E: Form Objection and Response to Notice and Order to Show Cause.

WHEREFORE, the plaintiff State of New Mexico requests the Court to enter its order granting approval of the form of the notice and orders to show cause and the form objection and response attached hereto as Exhibits A through E.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on the 9th day of February 2012, I filed the foregoing electronically through the CM/ECF system which caused the parties on the electronic service list, as more fully set forth in the Notice of Electronic Filing, to be served via electronic mail.

/s/ Ed Newville
EDWARD G. NEWVILLE